



Enforcement Officers Raid Bootleg Joints

ALL BOUND OVER TO CIRCUIT COURT

Sheriff Bennett, assisted by Undersheriff Frank May, and deputies Bert DeFrain and John Hendrick, and State police, made a raid here Saturday and arrested five local persons for violation of the liquor laws. Those who were caught in the traps were Wm. H. Moenier, local garage owner; Louis Fryover, Fred Carr, Popea and Mrs. Anna Harrison.

A still was confiscated at the Popea place and 24 pint bottles of moonshine at Moenier's, according to Sheriff Bennett.

After spending over Sunday in jail they appeared before Justice Petersen Monday where they waived examination and were duly bound over to Circuit court for arraignment. Sheriff Bennett says that they have agreed to plead guilty. Popea is waiting in jail while the others are out on \$1,000 bonds, to appear in Circuit court April 10th.

Sheriff Bennett says that he had warned these parties that if they did not stop selling and making moonshine that he would get them, and says that he gave them every opportunity to cut it out, but they waited too long. And the Avalanche too has repeatedly warned bootleggers that our officers weren't fooling and that they must quit the racket or pay the penalty. Continued defiance of the laws has finally brought on real troubles for these parties and they will no doubt have to either pay stiff fines or serve prison sentences. The new liquor law violations impose drastic punishment.

Just how bootleggers and other liquor law violators can hope to continue their rackets in the face of the present day laws is difficult to understand. Right in the face of persistent warnings by the local press and by our law-enforcing officers they continued to ply their nefarious trade, selling their rotten booze to anybody and everybody, whoever had the money with which to pay, and in some instances, we are told, CWA pay envelopes were mortgaged.

These bootleggers pay no taxes. The government gets no revenue from the liquor they sell, and in that our tax payers are deprived of the legal revenue to which they are entitled. A bootlegger cheats every person who pays taxes.

The action on the part of our officers has met with popular favor almost everywhere in Grayling. A very large percentage of late night carousals and debauchery are laid to bootleg liquor sold here. There has been so much evidence of such conduct for some time that decent people are getting fed up on it and it was about time that these joints were put out of business.

Sheriff Bennett showed good judgment in not being hasty in his actions and thus has given everyone implicated plenty of opportunity to quit the business. Bennett is not a radical in any way and nobody can justly accuse him of being prejudiced. But he knows the laws and he also knows that it is his business to see that they are properly administered. Violators have had fair warning and now that he has struck, let's stand back of him and see if we cannot clean out these joints that are only cancers eating their ways into the good health and morals of our community.

FROZEN SNAKES

A dispatch from Cheboygan says: "Cheboygan is having the snakes, and not from this new liquor, either. A couple weeks ago a group of CWA workers in one of the gravel pits dug under an old stump, a big bundle rolled out from under it, and on investigation was found to be hibernating snakes of every breed common to this section, all entwined together. There was almost a bushel basket full of them. They were taken to the school in Cheboygan, where, under the influence of heat, some soon began to wake up, a part of them being kept for study. Friday morning another stump was taken up, and another bunch of snakes, of about the same size, were discovered within a few yards of the first bunch."

Four Fires Break Out Here Monday

This week started out with Monday living up to its name of "blue" Monday when four fires were reported. The most unfortunate were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beck who lost most everything they owned in the fire that destroyed the four-room cottage they were renting from Mrs. Rasmus Jorgensen. The fire was evidently caused from an overheated stove, as Mr. Beck had just started the morning fire which was about eight o'clock. They just escaped with what clothes they had on at the time and a few other articles of little value. They are making their home with their daughter, Mrs. Wilber Simpson and family at present. The Becks had no insurance, however Mrs. Jorgensen had the dwelling covered. The fire had such a start that it was no time before it was consumed.

The old John Olson residence on Norway street, now owned by Nick Schjor, and occupied by Edward Pratt and family was quite badly damaged by fire Monday afternoon. The flames started from the chimney destroying the attic and one side of the house, and making the third fire of the day. Mr. and Mrs. Pratt and children have moved in with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Knibbe until they can find another place to move to. Fortunately most of the family's household furniture was saved, and the loss to the house was covered by insurance.

The Herinf Sorenson home was threatened by fire Monday afternoon, when fire broke out in the chimney. However it had little start before it was discovered and little damage was done.

The Alfred Hanson Garage was threatened by fire Monday afternoon, when a small can of gasoline exploded. However chemical kept in the station put it out without the help of the fire department who at that time were engaged in fighting the Pratt fire.

It was a busy day for Grayling's fire department, who are to be commended for the quick runs they make to fires, and the way they work when they get there. With the large number of fires Grayling has experienced this winter there have only been a couple of disastrous ones.

Spring Election Next Monday

NO CONTEST IN MAPLE FOREST, SOUTH BRANCH AND LOVELLS

Next Monday the official spring election for township officers nominated at recent caucuses will be held in this various townships. Exercise your right to vote and name men whom you are sure will do their level best in their positions. In Maple Forest, South Branch and Lovells there are no contests.

In Grayling township there are two tickets, Frank Sales heading the ticket for supervisor on the Democratic ballot and Fred Niederer on the Republican ticket. Following is the list of candidates on both tickets:

Democratic
Supervisor—Frank Sales.
Clerk—Samuel Smith.
Treasurer—Amos Hunter.
Highway Commissioner—Herbert Parker.
Justice—F. W. Christenson.
Member Bd. of Review—Phil Moran.
Overseer Highways Dist. 1—
Carlton Wythe.
Overseer Highways Dist. 2—
Lacey Stephan.
Constables—Oscar Goss, Floyd McClain, Peter F. Jorgensen, Niels Nielsen.
Republican
Supervisor—Fred Niederer.
Clerk—Chris Jensen.
Treasurer—Chris W. Olsen.
Highway Commissioner—Carl Hanson.
Member Br. of Review—Nelson O. Corwin.
Overseer Highways Dist. 1—
Emil Niederer.
Overseer Highways Dist. 2—
Thomas Wakeley.
Constables—George Bielski, Sherman Neal, William Laurant, Emory Craft.

In Frederic township the present incumbent, Lyle Dunckley, heads the People's ticket and George Horton the Citizens ticket for supervisor. Their candidates as they appear on the ballot are:

People's Ticket
Supervisor—Lyle Dunckley.
Clerk—Carl Olson.
Treasurer—Albert Madill.
Highway Commissioner—George Pratt.
Justice—Erna Highlen.
Board of Review—Marion Hopkins.
Overseer of Highways—Floyd Baldwin.
Constable—Frank Holka.
Citizens Ticket
Supervisor—George Horton.
Clerk—Lee Grandell.
Treasurer—Merle Patterson.
Highway Commissioner—Erve Roe.
Justice—Jay Odell.
Board of Review—Ray Murphy.
Overseer of Highways—William Brown.
Constables—Raymond Johnson, Oscar Charron, Hans Jungman.

In Beaver Creek township there are two tickets in the field and they will also vote on a consolidation proposition. Frank E. Love, present incumbent is the candidate for supervisor on the Citizens ticket and Earl Wood on the Republican.

Their ticket is as follows:
Citizens
Supervisor—Frank E. Love.
Clerk—Wm. Fairbotham.
Treasurer—Cleo Mortenson.
Highway Commissioner—Wm. Goinick.
Board of Review—Herman Miller.
Justice—Chas. Goinick.
Overseer of Highways—T25-3W John Canfield.
Overseer of Highways T25-4W—Wesley Canfield.

Republican
Supervisor—Earl Wood.
Clerk—John LaMotte.
Treasurer—Orval Hatfield.
Highway Commissioner—Arthur Skingley.
Board of Review—Wm. Love.
Justice (full term)—George Howes.
Justice (to fill vacancy)—Homer Annla.
Overseer of Highways T25-3W—Chauncey Rogers.
Overseer of Highways T25-4W—Raymond Papendick.

For Grayling the polls will be open from 7:00 o'clock a. m. to 6:00 p. m.

ODDFELLOWS ATTENTION

Attention Oddfellows and Rebekahs: Card party and lunch at Temple Tuesday, April 10th. Come, bring wife, husband, or sweetheart. Committee.

PROCLAMATION

It is the request of the Mayor and common council of the village of Grayling that in commemoration of Army Day, April 6th, we display the American flag, urge Clubs and societies to give patriotic programs, Public Schools to hold patriotic and memorial exercises. Likewise, the merchants can dress up their windows in keeping with the day.

We honor the men and women whose devotion to the nation and whose sacrifice and service during the period of the great war and previous wars have made it possible to maintain law and order and to promote peace and good will on earth. It is fitting that special tribute be paid to the late Col. Frederick M. Alger of Detroit and Lt. Rev. Major Patrick R. Dunnigan of Flint, Chaplain of the 32nd Red Arrow Division during the late war; also, let us honor our local boys who have passed to the eternal resting place.

C. G. Clippert, Mayor.

Army-Day Program Friday, April 6th

CAPT. VANE, DIST. CCC COM. MANDER TO SPEAK

Army day, Friday, April 6th will be appropriately observed in a program to be presented at Grayling High school auditorium at 8:00 o'clock. P. M. Capt. L. P. Vane, district commander of the CCC camp in this part of the state will be the principal speaker. Efforts are being made to have Lt. R. E. Bates appear on the same program. No doubt he will be glad to do so upon his return to Grayling.

Army Day is a national project and will be observed in just about every town in America. C. W. Hungerford, Detroit, state chairman appointed the commander of the several American Legion posts to chairmanship of their respective local communities. In turn Commander Otto Failing appointed O. P. Schumann to plan and carry out a suitable program at school.

Capt. Vane is a newcomer in this middle west, but already has manifested real interest in local affairs. This will be an opportunity for our local citizens and school pupils to become acquainted and to hear about our own army from an active member.

Everyone here knows Lt. Bates and all know that he has a wealth of information about our army. You'll want to hear Emerson too. So please spend an hour Friday afternoon, April 6th, in attending this program in respect for this unit of our national defense. Everyone welcome.

MURDERED THE SCHOOL-TEACHER IN FRONT OF HER CLASS

An article in next Sunday's Detroit Times describes how a crazy suitor marched into a schoolroom with his finger on the trigger of a shotgun aimed at a young teacher who, to protect the children of her class, waited calmly to see her pupils until it was too late for her to escape death.

Everyone welcome.

\$1,000 TAX EVERY HOUR

A very interesting bulletin reached our desk this week entitled "Your Child's Education and the \$1,000 in taxes paid EVERY HOUR by the railroads."

It reads in part: "The railroads are the nation's greatest tax payers. Their annual tax bill is 350 millions—a million and more dollars a day. In Michigan in 1933 the railroads paid \$7,829,198.23 into the state treasury—at the rate of nearly \$1,000 per hour of every day in the year."

Besides this huge fund that affords relief for tax payers, the railroads pay out millions in salaries to workers, and these men in turn also pay taxes into the public treasury.

Without going into extensive details, as contained in the circular, a brief summary of the amounts of money paid by the railroads to Crawford county is very interesting.

Crawford county's share of the primary school fund is \$13,221. County's share of railroad taxes \$5,950.

School children in Crawford benefited by fund, 5,950. Children of Crawford county directly benefited by railroad taxes, 478.

To take away these funds from Crawford county, as paid annually by the railroads, Crawford county tax payers would find it very difficult and possibly impossible, to maintain its schools.

Do we as citizens duly appreciate these institutions that afford such liberal tax benefits? We really wonder, at times, how the railroads can keep it up. Much of the cream of the railroad business has been usurped by trucking companies. These latter pay little in taxes, and they are the greatest users of our free highways, and causing, because of heavy hauling, expensive upkeep.

APPECIATION

We are very grateful to those who have been so kind to us, and for the assistance that has been given us following our fire loss. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beck.

60 CCC Men Leaving Camp 672

POSTMASTER: RATES PAID BY LUMBER CAMPS OF EARLY DAYS

Approximately 60 men are leaving Co. 612 of the CCC at Higgins Lake camp at the expiration of their enrollments this month. It is expected the camp will be brought up to its full strength of about 200 this spring with the first of the new enrollees arriving late in April or early in May.

Regulations newly issued limit the enrollment of CCC men to one year, with a few exceptions, so that the benefits of the camps can be given to a greater number.

Last Thursday night the Roscommon band delighted the officers and men of Higgins Lake camp with a well played concert under the direction of William Curnalia.

Following the music Postmaster Bates of Grayling gave an interesting talk on the lumbering activities and camp life as he saw it since coming to this vicinity in 1878. His remarks were very well received. Lieut. R. E. Bates of the coast artillery, a son of Postmaster Bates, was also introduced. Lieut. Bates was in command of the first CCC camp to be founded in Michigan.

Dr. M. A. Martowka of Roscommon will speak to the men at Higgins Lake camp next Thursday evening at eight o'clock in the mess hall on a medical topic. It is expected music will be furnished by a quartet at the camp.

Major Stacey of Corps Area Headquarters at Chicago inspected Co. 672 last week Thursday. —Leslie B. Merritt.

Jurors Drawn For April Term

Following is the list of jurors drawn for the April term of court.

Tracy Nelson—Grayling.
Charles Owens—Maple Forest.
A. R. Caid—Lovells.
Joe Denno—Beaver Creek.
James Tobin—Frederic.
Elmer Head—South Branch.
Walter Cowell—Grayling.
Alvin Richter—Maple Forest.
Joseph Vance—Lovells.
Eden Small—Beaver Creek.
Eric Highland—Frederic.
James Richardson—South Branch.
Roy Wolcott—Grayling.
John Anderson—Maple Forest.
Lola Papenfus—Lovells.
Martin Jaagosh—Beaver Creek.
Mrs. C. S. Barber—Frederic.
Chauncey Rogers—Beaver Creek.
Elrie Keith—South Branch.
Frank Ahman—Grayling.
Ed. Feldhauser—Maple Forest.
Glenn Grege—Lovells.
Ben Allen—Frederic.
Charles Scott—South Branch.

COLDEST MARCH ON RECORD

Supt. P. G. Zalsman of Grayling Fish hatchery says that this has been the coldest March that we have had during the 20 years that he has been keeping weather records here. In fact, he says, he believes that there hasn't been a colder month of March here in the history of Grayling.

There have been ten nights during the month when it has been below zero. On March 11th it was 17 below zero and yesterday morning (Wednesday) it was 9 below. Other nights it has been from 2 to 10 below.

The warmest day was March 4th and registered 44 above and there have been only ten days when the temperature during the day rose above freezing—32 degrees.

This month will soon be gone and let us hope that the weather man is going to be a little more considerate and dole out weather that is at least normal.

Monday southern Michigan experienced the heaviest snow blizzard since 1925. In Detroit there was a 10 inch snow fall and the blanket reached as far north as Bay City, and south into Ohio and Indiana. Traffic was blocked in that territory. Travellers coming north were quite surprised to find that north of Pinconning there had been no storm. That is one time when we were the favored ones.

CHURCH NOTES

MICHELSON MEMORIAL
E. J. Salmon, Pastor.

Thursday, March 29, 7:00 P. M. Holy Communion.

Good Friday, March 30—Service from 2-3 P. M.

We hope that every place of business will close in order that every one may have an opportunity to attend services in the various churches on this sacred day.

Special music will be provided by the choir.

Easter Sunday, April 1—Sunrise service—6 A. M.

This service is in charge of the Epworth League, and they invite anyone interested to attend. Following the service they will serve breakfast. Any who are planning to attend this breakfast please notify one of the committee in charge: Gail Welsh, Blanch Wheeler, Don Gothro, or Robert Funk, and they will let you know what you are to bring.

Church School—10:00 A. M.

Easter—Worship—Service—11:00 A. M.

This service will be in charge of the choir, with Easter music composed of anthems, duets, and solos.

Time will be taken during this service for the baptism of any children or reception of any into the church. Please notify the pastor if possible.

A welcome is extended to all.

An illustrated lecture on "Chaos and the Way Out."

Jacks and Ramblers To Play Off Tie

Grayling Lumberjacks and Roscommon Ramblers have each won two games this season and next Tuesday night, April 3, will play off the tie on Grayling's court. There is a lot of friendly rivalry existing between the two teams and this will settle the question for at least this season as to who of the two teams are the champions.

Too on that night "Mutt" Burrows' Cubs and the Grayling Wolverines will also play for championship honors. The tournament game Tuesday night showed the stuff each team is made of and if ever two teams were evenly matched they are it. Took four overtime periods to declare the victors, who happened to be the Wolverines.

Cohn of East Jordan, who officiated at the independent tournament will referee.

These games are benefit games sponsored by Grayling Post 108, and they would appreciate a good turnout. The proceeds are to go to the Otter Lake billet, where 335 children of ex-service men are being cared for at present. The billet is supported by the various posts of the State, and as the depression has increased the number of little children needing care another cottage is required to house them and one is to be constructed to be known as the Herbert R. McKinney Memorial cottage. The proceeds from the games will go into this building fund.

Help the fellows out in their efforts to care for these orphans. Admission will be 25c for adults and 10c for school children.

Woman's Club Notes

Nineteenth regular meeting was held at the home of Mrs. McNamara Monday, March 26th. Report given by Mrs. Adolph Peterson on charity work done.

Mrs. Holger Schmidt gave a report on money earned for the Milk Fund, from proceeds of card party given by her committee.

Report by Mrs. Barnett on plans for civic improvement. The following Irish and Scotch musical program was presented: "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," by trio, Mrs. Jarmin, Mrs. Gothro, Mrs. Milnes.

"Irish Lullaby," vocal solo by Mrs. Jarmin.

"Annie Laurie," duet by Mrs. Jarmin and Mrs. Clippert.

"My Liddle," vocal solo by Mrs. Milnes.

"And Lang Syne," by the Mrs. Jarmin, Mrs. Gothro, Mrs. Milnes.

Next regular meeting will be held at Mrs. E. J. Olson's on Tuesday, April 3rd, instead of on Monday.

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GOLD AND SILVER
GOLD IN THE OCEAN WOULD COVER THE CAPITAL GROUNDS AT WASHINGTON A THOUSAND FEET DEEP WHILE THE SILVER WOULD COVER CENTRAL PARK, N.Y., OVER A THOUSAND FEET.

LIVING LONGER
EATING FOODS CONTAINING CALCIUM AND PHOSPHATE HAS BEEN SHOWN NOT ONLY TO BUILD STRONG BONES BUT TO OFFER SET OLD AGE.

Grayling State Savings Bank
 at the close of business, March 5th, 1934, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

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 One Year \$1.75
 Six Months90
 Three Months45
 Outside of Crawford County
 and Seasonal per year, \$2.00
 (For strictly Paid-in-Advance
 Subscriptions)



THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1934.

NEWS BRIEFS

Alfred Hanson is absent from his place of business this week, due to illness.

Big bargain in fresh fruits and vegetables Friday and Saturday at Commie's Grocery.

P. G. Zalesman and Mrs. Lyle Milke and little daughter Phyllis spent Saturday in Bay City.

Mrs. Ernest Ianson and Miss Stella Larson were Bay City callers Saturday.

Leslie Sheridan, of Camp Au Sable, was admitted to Mercy Hospital Wednesday for medical care.

Miss Norma Pray will spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Pray at their home in Clawson.

\$1,100.66 worth of 1934 license plates for automobiles were purchased Saturday from the County treasurer, William Ferguson.

Little Ross Thompson was dismissed from Mercy Hospital Wednesday after having been a patient there for more than a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Larson (Beulah Ewing) and two daughters of Owosso visited among Grayling friends of Mrs. Larson Sunday.

Bruce Greenbury, who with family went to Detroit on a visit a couple of weeks ago was luck to secure a position as foreman at the Chrysler automobile plant.

Mrs. Harold Hatfield and sister Mrs. Ernest Bissanette and son Richard returned Saturday from Detroit after visiting a week with relatives.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid society of Michelson Memorial church will be a pot luck luncheon at the home of Mrs. Holger Schmidt at 1:00 o'clock Friday, April 6.

Carl Sorenson, barber, was rushed to Mercy Hospital early Tuesday morning, having an acute attack of appendicitis. He was operated on that morning, and is improving nicely now.

Although there was quite a snow storm, a goodly number of Grangers gathered at their hall for the regular Orange dinner and meeting Saturday. Three new members were accepted as full brothers and sister and were given instructions.

Friends and neighbors of Mrs. Harold Hatfield surprised her with a stork shower Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Tracy Nelson. Mrs. Hatfield received many lovely gifts. A pot luck lunch was served late in the afternoon.

Bennie Jorgenson is quite some artist. A pencil sketch of the late Rube Babbitt, taken from a photograph, by Bennie is receiving a lot of fine compliments. The drawing is on exhibition in the Avalanche office. You're invited to come in and see it. We consider it splendid work.

Congressman Woodruff wiring from Washington in reply to Mayor C. G. Clippert relative to the progress and possibility of pushing the Grayling PWA (waterworks) projects, says: "Village of Grayling application for loan project number 7159 is in progress of examination but no action has been taken as yet. I am asking Secretary Ickes to expedite."

"Met" Burrows' Cubs doubled their opponents score and then some when playing the team from Camp 681 last Thursday night. The score at the half was 23-10 in the Cubs favor and the final score was 56 to 25. Smith with 19 points and May with 19 points carried off the high scoring honors while Sorenson contributed his part with 11 points. Dawson had 6 points to his credit and Mills 2. For the Camp team the honors were pretty evenly divided.

The Educational Directors of the Civilian Conservation Corps from this district held a meeting at Camp Pines Sunday afternoon. Malcolm Little, educational director for the Sixth Corps Area, of Chicago, was in attendance, as was Capt. L. P. Vane, District Commander. Capt. and Mrs. E. E. Burns were also guests at the meeting, and after dinner educational plans were discussed. The speakers were: Mr. Hurley, Pines Camp; Mr. Hanson, Camp Au Sable; Mr. Harris, Camp Higgins; and Mr. Hootch, Camp Pioneer.

Clyde Peterson and Alex Asherson attended a meeting for Chevrolet salesmen at Traverse City Wednesday evening.

Gerald Horrick, who has been in Flint for a few weeks trying to get employment, has secured work at the Chevrolet plant.

Howard Smock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Liland Smock is ill at their home with pneumonia. Little Jerry Smock who also has been very sick, is a little better.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sivrais are both ill at their home with the flu. Their daughter Mrs. Harold Millard is expected from Flint today to care for them.

Mrs. Ambrose Matheson and children, Maxine, Jack, William, and Whitney, arrived from Bay City Sunday joining Mr. Melstrup here who is working for the Kerry & Hanson Flooring Co.

A number of important real estate transactions are reported to be about ready for confirmation. Parties interested feel that it is too soon for publication but quite likely the deals will be closed before our next issue.

Ed Cooper has been at the Maurice Gorman home since his dismissal from Mercy Hospital, and although he had a little setback he is getting along nicely now and will probably be able to sit up the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Charles Webb and daughters, Patricia Lou and Joyce Ann spent the fore part of the week in Ann Arbor. They were accompanied home by Mr. Webb, who recently submitted to a plastic operation at the University Hospital.

Supt. and Mrs. R. R. Burns and children left this morning for Lansing, where Supt. Burns is attending a meeting of school board members and superintendents of Michigan. Mrs. Burns and daughters are visiting Mrs. Burns' mother, Mrs. Fred Decker.

Participating in the independent tournament held at Boyne City last week end Grayling Lumberjacks were victorious in their first game Thursday night.

played with Charlevoix, by a score of 19 to 15. Friday night however they fell before East Jordan to the tune of 23 and 19.

If you have anything that will help to re-furnish a home for Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beck, who lost their entire household furnishings by fire Monday morning it will be very much appreciated. Call Mrs. Frank Barnett, or Mrs. Adolph Peterson and things will be called for. This appeal, which is a very worthy one is being made through the local Red Cross chapter.

The Woman's club sponsored a card party at the Hanson club rooms Friday evening. Mrs. Holger Schmidt was chairman of the division that put on the affair to raise money for the milk fund for under nourished children.

Mrs. Frank Bond held the high score for bridge and Holger Hanson for pinocle.

Mrs. C. G. Clippert was hostess to her Bridge club Saturday afternoon. The dining room was graced with a large bouquet of red roses in a silver basket while the long table on which the luncheon was served was centered with a silver candelabra holding lighted black candles. Mrs. Oscar Schumann held the high score for bridge. Guests included Mrs. Stanley Flower, Mrs. Ernest Hoesli, Mrs. C. J. Green and Mrs. Rob't Reagan.

Mrs. Louis J. Martin received a painful injury Saturday forenoon. She had gotten out of her car and was stepping up on the curb in front of the Hanson Hardware store when she slipped on some ice and fell. In falling she had the misfortune to break her right leg in two places between the ankle and knee and the heel of her foot was also cracked. Her injuries were taken care of at Mercy Hospital and she was later removed to her home where she is getting along as well as may be expected.

Spring flowers made a very pretty centerpiece for the long luncheon table at which Mrs. Roy Milnes was hostess to her bridge club Wednesday noon. Miss Margrothe Bauman won the prize for the high score in bridge.

James Winter, 80 years old, resident of Roscommon for the past 60 years, died at Mercy Hospital Tuesday, after having been a patient there for several months. He is survived by an only son, who is working at a CCC camp at Mio.

Mrs. L. D. Herbison was hostess to a few friends at her home Tuesday evening. Cards and conversation were enjoyed, prizes being won by Mrs. Jess Sales, Mrs. T. P. Peterson and Mrs. Heriuf Sorenson. A lovely lunch was served at a table attractive with Easter decorations.

Miss Dorothy Roberts was hostess to her sewing club Wednesday evening at her home. The members of the club include Misses Elma Mae Sorenson, Lois and Evelyn Sorenson, Wilma Burrows, Yvonne LaGrow, Muriel DeLaMater, and Martha Sorenson. Guest of the club that evening was Miss Dagmar Juhl, who is home on her spring vacation from Jackson Business College.

OLDEST REFRIGERATOR MFRS. IN AMERICA

Evidence that the long-expected public buying wave now is sweeping through this and practically all other sections of the country in no uncertain manner is seen in reports received by Sorensons.

Furniture Store, local representative of Leonard Refrigerator Company, from executives of the company at Detroit.

Shipment records are being broken at the Leonard factories and production is being carried on at top speed to fill the demand for the company's new refrigerators. Mr. Sorenson has just been informed by Godfred Streifinger, sales manager of Leonard.

"A new February shipping record was made last month when shipments showed a 122% gain over those made during the corresponding month of 1933," Mr. Sorenson said. "A similar record was made in January," he continued, "and January, and February shipments were far in excess of any made during these two months of the year in Leonard's 53 years in business."

"I believe that the record business being done by Leonard Refrigerator Company indicates that many people who for four years have gone without even many of the necessities of life, buying only that which was absolutely necessary, are beginning to purchase those things which they have wanted for so long. We look for the spring and summer to produce not only record demands for electric refrigerators, but for other products as well."

Mr. Sorenson believes that the unusual prosperity being enjoyed by Leonard is due in a large measure to the fact that executives of this company anticipated such a buying wave with the advent of 1934 and prepared for it by launching the largest advertising and selling program in the history of this oldest company in the refrigeration industry.

"I believe the electric refrigeration industry deserves considerable credit for the part they have played in the national recovery program," he said. "Throughout the depression they continually improved their products and kept them before the public. At the beginning of 1933, firmly convinced that the return was at hand, they stacked their chips on the table to back up their conviction. With new and greatly improved products and enlarged advertising appropriations to tell the public about them, they went to work. The result was that this industry led the national recovery parade which started during the latter half of the year, and finished 1933 with a new sales record for electric refrigerators."

The industry sold more than a million refrigerators in 1933.

"This year even more ambitious plans have been made by members of this industry, and the electric refrigerators now being introduced to the public in dealers' showrooms far exceed any ever offered. The last year undoubtedly marked the greatest year of achievement on the part of electric refrigerator engineers, and judging from sales made during January and February the public already is aware of this."

Lumberjacks Win North'n Championship

3-DAY TOURNAMENT FINISHED LAST NIGHT

The three day independent basket-ball tournament held here this week finished Wednesday night by Grayling Lumberjack's defeat of the boys from Clare. The score was 32 to 32.

The tournament started Monday night, with eleven teams entered, as follows: Roscommon, Rambler, Gaylord, Clare, East Jordan, Harbor Springs, Grayling, Cubes, West Branch, Grayling Wolverines, Goddysne's Midgets (Bay City), Traverse City, and Grayling Lumberjacks.

The first night the following games with the scores were played:

Gaylord 21; Roscommon 19. Grayling Lumberjacks 27; West Branch 16.

Clare 29; Harbor Springs 26.

The second night saw the following scores made and elimination of the losing teams:

Grayling Wolverines 25; Grayling Cubes 23.

Grayling Lumberjacks 22; East Jordan 20.

Clare 21; Gaylord 18.

Traverse City 28; Bay City 26.

Lumberjacks 28; Wolverines 15.

Clare 31; Traverse City 25.

The finals were played by Grayling and Clare, after a preliminary game between Grayling Wolverines and Roscommon Gimlets, the locals winning with a top-heavy score.

The big game between the Lumberjacks and Clare proved to be a big drawing card. Two undefeated champions of other tournaments, each confident of victory, put up their best brand of basket ball. The Lumberjacks were clicking in great shape and by their clever team work and good shooting they were able in the latter part of the game to pile up a large majority. Clare has a clever team and their plays were well planned but the speed of the Lumberjacks soon carried them in the lead. Paul Hendrickson was hitting the basket from almost any angle, and there was no stopping him.

The Lumberjacks were awarded gold basket balls and the tournament honors. The Clare players received silver basket balls for honors for being the runners-up.

The referees were Willard Cornell, Grayling, and A. B. Cohn of East Jordan.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GRAYLING STATE SAVINGS BANK

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN,
 at the close of business, March 5th, 1934, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

RESOURCES			
	Commercial	Savings	Total
LOANS AND DISCOUNTS			
Items in Transit	\$55,986.76	None	
Totals	\$55,986.76	None	\$55,986.76
Real Estate Mortgages			
BONDS AND SECURITIES, viz.:			
U. S. Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness in Office	\$34,485.94	\$9,878.13	
U. S. Bonds and Certificates of Indebtedness pledged as collateral to Public funds	\$11,929.52		
Totals	\$46,415.46	\$9,878.13	\$56,293.59
RESERVES, viz.:			
Cash and Due from Banks in Reserve Cities	\$69,927.58	\$25,000.00	
Totals	\$69,927.58	\$25,000.00	\$94,927.58
COMBINED ACCOUNTS, viz.:			
Overdrafts			\$84.47
Furniture and Fixtures			\$875.19
Total			\$959,917.59
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock Paid in			\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund			5,000.00
Undivided Profits, net			2,954.83
COMMERCIAL DEPOSITS, viz.:			
Commercial Deposits Subject to Check			\$99,719.02
Demand Certificates of Deposit			37.50
Certified Checks			62.85
Cashier's Checks—Bank Money Orders			249.05
State Monies on Deposit			37,324.01
Other Public Monies on Deposit			3,599.78
U. S. Government Deposits			\$140,992.01
Totals			\$33,970.75
SAVINGS DEPOSITS, viz.:			
Book Accounts—Subject to Savings By-Laws			\$28,353.82
Certificates of Deposit—Subject to Savings By-Laws			5,687.93
Totals			\$33,970.75
MORATORIUM DEPOSITS, viz.:			
Total			None
Bills Payable			NONE
Total			\$207,917.59

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, ss.
 I, Margrethe Nielsen, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear, that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of March, 1934.
 John Bruun,
 Crawford County Notary Public.
 My commission expires December 29, 1936.

MARGRETHE NIELSEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest:
 Eabern Hanson,
 Holger Hanson,
 J. F. Smith,
 Directors

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Ernest W. Olson.

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WORK WANTED—Housework, housecleaning or any other kind of work. Mrs. Dan McIntyre.

Chris W. Olsen

Republican Candidate for
Township Treasurer

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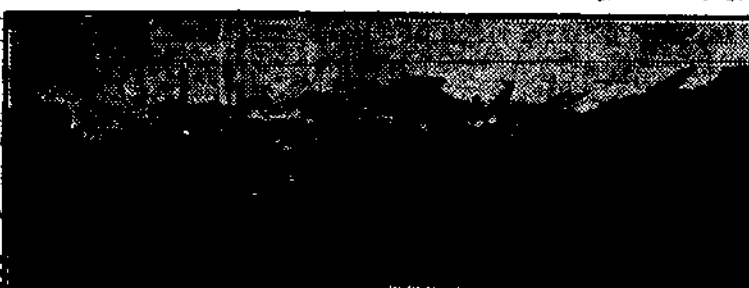
The time to get insurance is before the loss. The cost in this company has been but 7c on each \$100 insurance for 48 years.

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This picture shows the result of a cyclone which struck Michigan April 26, 1932. The owner of this once fine property, Gladys Visk, promptly received \$1,700, the amount of policy. In addition to the barn a fine cement drive was completely destroyed. This property was located in West Branch township, Kalamazoo Co.



Re-elect for 2nd Term

Amos W. Hunter

Democratic Candidate for

Township Treasurer

Monday, April 2nd

Vote for

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Democratic candidate

For Supervisor

Township of Grayling

Election Monday, April 2nd



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STATE NEWS BULLETIN

During the last half of 1933 Michigan building and loan associations paid to shareholders \$418,042.68 on filed applications for withdrawal of funds, and in addition to that, also paid them \$1,887,018.90 to relieve necessities, on a total of \$2,305,061.58.

Reports indicate that loans are being made, some new money is being invested, and that men who have obtained employment are resuming payment on their mortgage loans. In Michigan there are no associations which are under the supervision of the building and loan division of the Department of State.

Before Nov. 1, a total of 356,018 Michigan motorists must renew their drivers' licenses.

The law requiring motorists to obtain new licenses every three years, was adopted by the 1931 legislature. Records of the Department of State show that 21,963 licenses expire in May, 41,332 expire in June, 59,458 in July, 89,085 in August and 87,688 in September. In October 254,000 motorists will be required to obtain new licenses.

Add these to your list of silly rumors:

Many reports are reaching Lansing to the effect that citizens believe that if they have not paid tax, it will be deducted from the amount they receive as the automobile tax refund.

This report is not correct. The weight tax is collected by the Department of State and refunds are being made by the department in the form of state warrants to all who purchased 1934 plates at the old, high rate. The head tax is being collected by the State Welfare Commission.

Another rumor says that weight tax refunds are in the form of script redeemable when 1935 license plates are purchased. The refund warrants are payable in cash at any bank.

PRACTICE WITH REAL TORPEDOES

Real torpedoes are used in Naval torpedo practice. The charge of deadly explosive is removed, however, from these 22 foot missiles during practice firing. A torch case substituted in its place emits smoke and flame so that the torpedo can be traced and recovered after firing. The mechanism is driven by compressed air, steered by a gyroscope, and moves twenty-five to fifty miles an hour.

THE FATE OF CIVILIZATION

By LEONARD A. BARRETT

The discoveries of the past century have been almost entirely in the field of science, much of which has brought practical benefit to the race. In medicine new cures have been discovered for old maladies. Marvellous results have been accomplished in the field of surgery. The application of electricity to modern devices has lessened the strain and time of labor. Fancy the consternation in the modern home if the electric current would no longer make available the refrigerator, vacuum cleaner, percolator, toaster, heater, curling iron, oil furnace, door bell, radio, to say nothing of the telephone, electric lights and the spark plug of automobiles!

In his essay on "Revolution of Science," Mr. George Santayana writes: "We are invited to conceive organisms within organisms, so minute, that the heart of matter seems to explode into endless discharge of fireworks." Especially is this true when our scientists are endeavoring to split the atom.

In spite of the tremendous progress made possible by scientific discovery and the speed with which by use of machinery, it is possible to accomplish results, the question still remains—how much better off is the human race because of this progress? Has it brought a permanent increase of happiness and security? Quite the contrary condition is true. The entire human race has passed through a depression worse than in any period in history, with a lowering of its morale and a diminished confidence in the security of material things. Science has utterly failed to save the race or secure the permanency of modern civilization.

What is the next step? Is not the answer found in the words of the late Woodrow Wilson: "Our civilization can never be redeemed materially until it is redeemed spiritually."

Discoveries in the realm of moral and spiritual values must be proclaimed from the house tops. Scientific research must be directed to laboratories of human experience. We need to know the meaning of integrity, honesty, sincerity, honor, faith, hope and love. The fate of civilization depends upon rectitude such as these and not upon split atoms.

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Slat's Diary

Friday—Lem Frickett married his wife last month and he seen him today and he said to Lem. Well I suppose you will be looking for a new wife of these days before long and Lem replied and said. Well maybe he will get a new wife but he thought he'd take a little rest before he looked for a nuther wife. He hasn't hardly had time to recover yet.

Saturday—well I traded my football suit to Blister for a pretty good base ball bat and ball and glove and Pa told me he had a idea that I stung Blister on the trade and he said it was a very low trick for I to swindle I's friends. Well if you can't swindle your friends I would like to see who you are going to swindle. If a fellow can't swindle his friends swindling is liable to go out of style.

Sunday—Ma has a cousin who has a friend in New York who has a sister who lives in a separate house from her husband who is a professor in a college and she had seen him for over 2 months because her husband forgot her address.

Monday—at the party tonight when things got kind of dull I found a bunch of the kids in the dark and I led to them out in the living room we was a going to have some real fun, but they stayed in there. I found out later they was necking kind of.

Tuesday—Bert Hitch bout his self a watch dog last month and last nite they was sum burglars got in the house and stole sum money and clothes and the collar off of the dog and when they got a wake the dog was still watching faithfully.

Wednesday—I sat pa today what was a Bigamist and he said it was a man with made the same mistake twice and I sat what was a bachelor and he said it was a fellow who diddnt make the same mistake once.

Thursday—Pearl Zecks doctor sed he wasnt getting enuff Exercise so now he has tuk to buttering his own Toast.

Father Sage Says:
One of the funny things about married life is that nobody but the principals themselves really know if it's a success or not. Happiness can be faked like everything else.

Alone in His Class



When Master Sgt. Louis C. Mosser of Brockton, Mass., retired recently from the army after thirty years' service, only one Congressional Medal of Honor man remained among the enlisted men of the army. The lone holder is Sgt. Lloyd M. Seibert, shown herewith, of Salinas, Calif. He is stationed with the First Cavalry at Fort Knox, Ky., and has been in the army since 1908. He won the medal on September 29, 1918, in France.

Gown or Dinner Suit



A dramatic jacket of narrow circular cutties embroidered in jet transforms a formal black velvet gown into a dinner suit.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

Gain in Industrial Employment Reported; Steel Industry Accused of Price Boosting and Fixing; Japan and U. S. Exchange Good Will Notes; Navy Bill Passes.

SECRETARY OF LABOR FRANK PERKINS ANNOUNCES A JUMP OF 345,000 IN INDUSTRIAL EMPLOYMENT AND A GAIN OF \$12,000,000 IN WEEKLY PAY ROLLS BETWEEN JANUARY 15 AND FEBRUARY 15.

"Factory employment increased 6.1 per cent while pay rolls rose 12.8 per cent," Secretary Perkins said in summing up the developments. She added that since March of last year 2,400,000 workers have returned to industrial jobs and \$87,000,000 added to the weekly pay rolls. Secretary Perkins pointed out that her survey of industrial employment covers only a small part of the total business field.

"The manufacturing and non-manufacturing industries covered," she explained, "normally employ only 20,000,000 of the 49,000,000 gainful workers of the country and therefore these totals do not indicate all changes in employment. To them should be added 10,000 workers that were reported by the interstate commerce commission to have been taken on during the last month by Class I steam railroads, and gains in agricultural employment which normally take place at this time with the beginning of farming activities in the southern states.

The increase in employment and pay roll in the automobile industry were the outstanding gains of the month. The agricultural implement industry reported employment gains of 14.9 per cent and machine tools a rise of 15 per cent, continuing the gains which have marked every month since last May and June. Industries allied with building construction showed increased operations.

PRICE fixing and price boosting, tending to discriminate against small enterprises, are current practices in the steel industry under its NRA code, the federal trade commission declares in the report to the senate.

That there has been price fixing as well as increases in prices of steel products during the period covered by the inquiry, the commission declares, are conclusions warranted by ample facts. Under the provisions of the code and the methods of its application, prices for any given product at any point of delivery are uniform. This is a direct violation of the order to desist from the Pittsburgh plus practice.

The steel code, according to the trade commission, is devised to lodge control of the industry with the United States Steel corporation and other large producers, to take business away from little manufacturers, to discriminate against certain fabricators and producing centers and to discriminate in favor of powerful customers like the automobile industry.

At a press conference at the White House the President indicated that he was not satisfied with the way the steel code is operating. There were signs the Executive might reopen the code and call for drastic restrictions to protect consumers and independent manufacturers from price fixing and increased costs.

ASSURANCES of cordial regard and pledges of a desire for the settlement of any differences by amicable means were expressed in an exchange of notes between Secretary of State Hull and Koki Hirota, Japanese foreign minister. The exchange of notes was the outcome of interchanges initiated by Japan in furtherance of a foreign policy the general purpose of which is to conclude the United States. Japan is intent upon persuading the United States to abandon the policy of obstruction of Japanese occupation of Manchuria and to recognize the Japanese dominated state of Manchukuo.

Hirota expressed the firm belief that "no question exists between our two countries that is fundamentally incapable of amicable solution."

Hull, in concurring with that statement, said he would be glad to receive "any suggestion calculated to maintain and to increase that friendliness and cordiality which have constantly marked, since the conclusion of our first treaty, the relations between our two countries."

Japan let it be known unofficially, recently that it desires an increase in its naval ratio with the United States and Great Britain on

der the Washington and London Naval Treaties and would like to enter preliminary discussions.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, in a letter to the senate and house banking committees, asked congress to set up twelve industrial credit banks which he had been told would safeguard the jobs of 348,000 persons and create work for 376,000 more. Immediately after the President's wishes were known legislation was introduced in both houses giving the federal reserve system authority to create the banks, financing them by selling \$140,000,000 of stock to the treasury.

The plight of the "small or medium size" industrialist was stressed by the President, and he cited results of a survey indicating that such industry was badly in need of \$700,000,000 working capital.

A RAY of hope for unpaid school teachers appeared when a house subcommittee was ordered to draft legislation authorizing direct federal grants to needy school systems throughout the country. The primary purpose of the proposed grants would be to insure the operation of schools for a minimum term each year.

A serious curtailment of the educational facilities in many sections of the country has been forced by lack of funds, according to the committee, with consequent result that thousands of children are not receiving the proper amount of instruction, an inability to pay teachers is the most pressing problem.

A large part of the proposed federal grants will be available for the payment of salaries to unpaid teachers and for the re-employment of many who have been discharged because of lack of funds.

Under the direct grant measure proposed by the education committee, it was understood, the necessary funds would be supplied either by the federal Emergency Relief administration or the Public Works administration.

SPEAKING before an assembly of 5,000 cheering chief Fascist Premier Mussolini outlined a 100-year program of internal and external expansion which, he predicted, would in the twenty-first century give Italy the "primacy of the world." That century, he said, will be a "black shirt era."

"In this age of plans," he declared, "I want to say before you a plan not for five years or ten years but for 100 years carrying on to the twenty-first century, at which time Italy will have the primacy of the world."

"Italy has no future in the West and North. Her future lies to the East and South in Asia and Africa. The vast resources of Africa must be enlarged and Africa brought within the civilized circle."

"I do not refer to conquest of territory but to natural expansion. We demand that nations which have already arrived in Africa do not block at every step Italian expansion."

There, it was said, he was referring particularly to France.

Internally, Mussolini said, immediate objectives of completion of swamp reclamation by 1940, new aqueducts and highways, plans to reconvert Italian municipalities, complete rebuilding of 500,000 rural houses and repairs to 300,000 rural houses, a work of 30 years.

"Every rural person will have a clean and healthy house," he asserted, "only in this way can the rush to the city be combated."

In the midst of a pandemonium of applause Mussolini said Fascism became universal in 1929.

"But in this phenomenon," he continued, "it is necessary to distinguish positive from negative Fascism. Positive Fascism knows how to destroy the old and rebuild the new, whereas negative Fascism knows only how to destroy."

EXPANSION of the navy to treaty limitations is now assured with the passage by congress of the Vinson-Trammell bill. The bill calls for the construction of 102 warships and an increase of 1,184 in the naval airplane strength at a cost estimated at between \$50,000,000 and \$700,000,000 spread over five years.

The bill merely "authorizes" a treaty navy. Appropriations must follow in order to translate the action into ships and planes.

A BROAD national program for reducing the dairy surplus from milk from 35 to 50 per cent in return for federal cash payments to the individual milk producer was proposed to the dairy industry of the country by the Agricultural Adjustment administration. The program was evolved after months of effort by AAA experts.

The plan suggested by the administration would involve some \$100,000,000 at the outset, it was said, with prospects that the cost might rise as high as \$300,000,000. It would be financed by a "processing" tax of a cent per pound on butter fat, gradually increasing as the program advanced, to a peak of 5 cents per pound.

THE man who works for a living will get a break if amendments to the income tax law proposed by the senate finance committee are finally adopted. These amendments would take more taxes from big estates and reduce the tax on smaller incomes.

Chairman Harrison estimated that the net result of the changes proposed would add \$50,000,000 of annual revenue to the bill.

The committee voted unanimously for a proposal to continue the one-tenth of 1 per cent corporation capital stock and 5 per cent excess profits tax levy, which were repealed when repeal put liquor taxes into effect.

These taxes would have expired July 1. Under the new proposal they would become effective again July 1, 1935. Experts estimated the revenue from these taxes at \$65,000,000.

The reduction in income taxes would come in the form of a 10 per cent credit to be allowed on earned income up to \$20,000.

The estate amendment would increase taxes on such property to a maximum of 50 per cent as against the present 45 per cent, the rates ranging from 1 per cent on estates valued between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000 to 5 per cent on those over \$10,000,000.

TRACTS urging the public to donate cash to promote the sport of flying in Germany were circulated in Berlin Sunday. Under the Versailles treaty public funds are not permitted to be used to stimulate aviation, but the leaflet points out that the treaty does not refer to private initiative, and adds:

"We are unable to construct military planes, but the development of the sport of flying and training German people as flyers is entirely dependent upon ourselves and our readiness to make sacrifices."

The demand for a German air force was also emphasized by Gen. Hermann Wilhelm Goering, premier of Prussia and Reichminister of aviation, in speaking at a dining exhibition at the Esplanade airport. Goering declared that Germany can enjoy no security, no peace, no equality until she is granted the right to defend herself in the air. This demand cannot be altered, the air minister proclaimed.

"If other countries are permitted the heaviest weapons of attack in the air, Germany at least must be given the right of defense," he said.

ANOTHER step forward in developing trade between the United States and Austria was taken with the recent decision of the Austro-American commercial interests in Vienna to found an American Chamber of Commerce in Vienna. Later a corporate institution is also to be established in Washington.

The decision to open up a chamber of commerce here is the result of lengthy study by a committee appointed some time ago "for founding a special organization to develop trade and tourist traffic between Austria and America."

SECRETARY MORGENTHAU reported to President Roosevelt that income tax receipts for the first quarter of the year were well above estimates and far more than a year ago.

Payments to the close of business March 15, the day when all returns were due, were \$147,704,000. In announcing this figure on the basis of telegraphic reports from collectors, the treasury said corresponding collections last year were \$99,947,000.

In 1933, however, the date for filing returns was extended from March 15 to March 31, after the bank holiday.

Treasury estimates of income tax payments for March are \$220,000,000 as compared with \$174,000,000 last March.

A NEW and serious controversy has arisen in the railroad industry. Unexpectedly, representatives of the railroad brotherhoods flatly rejected a compromise wage settlement suggested by President Roosevelt, calling for a continuation of their 10 per cent pay reduction temporarily, and demanding an immediate restoration of production wages for all railroad workers. The action, taken by the Railway Labor Executives' association, threw negotiations looking for an amicable settlement of the rail wage situation into a virtual abyss.

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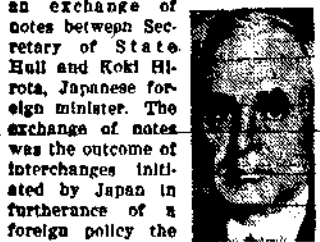
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If you're fat—first remove the cause.

Take one half teaspoonful of KRUSCHEN SALTS in a glass of hot water every morning—in 8 weeks got on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished.

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Get an 86c bottle of KRUSCHEN SALTS from Mac & Gidley, druggists, (lasts 4 weeks). If this first bottle doesn't convince you this is the easiest, safest and surest way to lose fat—your money gladly returned.



Secretary Hull

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, March 28, 1911

North McDonalds, who were stock raisers and had been under the doctor's daily care for over a week.

Mrs. Frank Ayers was a welcome visitor in the village last week, but too short a time to even meet half her friends.

Otto McIntyre came down from the camp near Wolverine where he has been for the winter, last week, the first time since the snow came.

Ed. Sorenson was in from Michigan Tuesday. He reports the new mill ready for operation, and four or five houses in process of erection, and expect about twenty more during the season.

A letter from L. T. Wright and his wife, from Erie, Pa., says they are enjoying a delightful visit, and will remain there for some time, but want the Avalanche to slide that way.

While the Township Board, of South Branch township were holding a meeting at the home of the Clerk, John Floeter, Tuesday, smoke was discovered through the window and on rushing out to learn the cause, it was found that the roof of the house was in flames and in spite of all that could be done, the house was entirely consumed. Practically all of the furniture was saved. This is a hard blow to Mr. Floeter.

Marvin Post, C.A.R. No. 240, are giving thanks to Postmaster Bates for a finely arranged inkstand, set in a piece of laurel root, from the battlefield of Lookout Mountain, which he obtained during his recent visit there and at the convention at Chattanooga. A number of our comrades were there during the unpleasantness in the early 80's and the name brings to them most vivid recollections.

Spring has come. The plains are almost bare, a few days more and we expect to see the farmers tilling the soil with the plow.

Such Is Life
A newspaper may say thousands of nice things about a man and his business, how he is decorating his windows, getting new goods, expanding his business, etc., and the editor will never hear a word of thanks. But let the paper speak, even unintentionally, in a manner not complimentary, and the paper catches what Sherman said was true.—St. Ignace Republican News.

KNEE-ACTION SAVED HIS LIFE

Chevrolet's "knee-action" with its consequent contribution to positive steering control is credited with saving the life of H. B. Moore, Indianapolis manufacturer.

In a letter to Chevrolet Motor Company, Mr. Moore, who is president of the H. B. Moore Company in the Indiana capital, makes this statement:

"I wish to say that 'knee-action' saved my life."

"On March 8th on State Road No. 40 near Brownstown, Ill., I was going 70 miles per hour in my new 1934 Chevrolet coupe, when suddenly a truck pulled out on the highway, completely blocking it. To keep from hitting the truck head-on, I had to take the ditch, hitting a ten-inch drain tile, breaking a left-rear wheel and blowing out a tire, then made a perfect horseshoe turn on a farmhouse lawn and back across the ditch, coming to stop on the highway right side up, thanks to 'knee-action'."

"A local boy who witnessed the accident, came up to me and said, 'Mister, do you know what saved

your life?' I asked him what he meant, and he frankly replied 'knee-action.' I readily agreed after he explained why."

"I had entire and complete control of my car, otherwise I would not be alive today."

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Cassidy, late of the Village of Grayling, in said county, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the 17th day of February A. D. 1934, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 18th day of June A. D. 1934, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 18th day of June, A. D. 1934, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated this 17th day of February, A. D. 1934.
George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

BANKING RETURNS TOWARD NORMAL

Reconstruction Finance Corporation Loan Repayments Show Banks Lead Procession in Recovery

Indicating a rapid return on the part of the banks to a normal self-sustaining basis, 54 per cent of the loans which they made from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to tide them over the difficulties of the past two years have been repaid by them, it is shown in a recent report.

The R. F. C. report, issued on March 8, says that the Corporation since it began operations in February, 1932, had made aggregate cash advances to railroads, agricultural and home loan agencies, insurance companies and various other institutions in the amount of \$4,786,410,000. Of this sum banks and trust companies, to the number of 6,792, received actual cash advances of \$1,530,640,000, but have already paid back \$393,390,000, or 64 per cent.

Non-banking borrowers received \$3,255,770,000 in the amount of \$377,820,000, or less than 12 per cent. Among other classes of financial institutions reported as making high ratios of repayment are building and loan associations which had received \$114,050,000 and have repaid \$53,450,000, or over 47 per cent. Insurance companies, whose borrowings totaled \$22,590,000 and repayments \$24,240,000, or nearly 100 per cent. None of the major non-governmental financial groups showed so high a ratio of repayment as the banks and trust companies.

BANK LOANS AND BUSINESS RECOVERY

Official Describes Efforts of Reserve Banks to Bring Out Deserving Borrowers—Present Situation Typical

Apportion of the part that an expansion of business loans by banks occupies in the early stages of the business recovery which is now gaining headway, a Federal Reserve Bank official recently gave an interesting review of the experiences of his institution in this connection. In 1932 the Federal Reserve Banks were empowered by law to make direct loans to individuals in unusual circumstances when they had been unable to obtain loans from a commercial bank, he pointed out.

From the middle of 1932 to the end of 1933 there were 1,286 applications for loans at the New York Federal Reserve Bank under this law. The great majority of these applications proved on examination to be for funds for capital purposes, which are properly supplied as an investment in the business, or else were mortgage loans or other unclassifiable as commercial.

Only Fourteen Quality
Only 250, or less than 20 per cent, were of the type which merited detailed investigation. The amount involved was \$9,525,000. After further study of these, the Federal Reserve Bank was forced to turn down the applications of 238, finally offering credit in the sum of \$1,417,000 to 14 prospective borrowers. Of this amount, only \$806,000 was actually loaned, more than one-half of which was still outstanding many months later. Two of the borrowers went into receivership.

"Since it was the special endeavor of the Federal Reserve Bank to make every possible loan under the emergency provisions of the amendment, and since their best efforts resulted in the extension of so small a sum as to have no effect on the total volume of commercial loans, it is a reasonable assumption that eligible borrowers entitled to bank credit are being provided for by the commercial banks," says the American Bankers Association Journal.

It is characteristic, as shown by studies of past business cycles, for changes in the volume of commercial bank credit to follow behind changes in the volume of commercial business activity, says a financial writer in the New York Times. This was manifest recently in England's recent recovery where there was a lag between increased business and increased commercial loans.

County Key Bankers
Describing the activities of the Agricultural Commission of the American Bankers Association, the Director, D. H. Otis, says: "With 2,500 agriculturally minded bankers designated as county key bankers, there is enlisted a tremendous force for the improvement of agriculture. These key bankers bring organized assistance to progressive farmers, who are led to see the possibility of agricultural work in their communities. Banker-farmer loans are emphasized as a means of acquainting bankers, farmers and other business men with firsthand knowledge of new agricultural improvement methods are working out in practice. These give an opportunity for the key bankers to contact country bankers and work out new ideas."

Supervisors' Proceedings

SPECIAL SESSION, MARCH 2, 1934

Special session of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford, commenced and held at the Court House, in the Village of Grayling, on Friday, the second day of March, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-four.

The board was called to order by the Chairman, Frank E. Love.

Roll was called by townships, of which the following supervisors responded:

Beaver Creek Township, Frank E. Love, Supervisor.
Frederic Township, Lyle Dunkley, Supervisor.
Grayling Township, P. W. Christenson, Supervisor.
Lovella Township, Edgar Caid, Supervisor.
Maple Forest Township, Arthur Howse, Supervisor.
South Branch Township, Sydney A. Dyer, Supervisor.

The call for Special Session was read as follows:

Grayling, Michigan
February 27th, 1934
County Clerk,
Grayling, Michigan.

Dear Sir:—
You are hereby notified by me, the undersigned, Supervisors of Crawford County to call a Special Session of the entire Board of Supervisors, on Friday, the second day of March, A. D. 1934, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

The reason for said Special Session is as follows:

To take up the matter of getting feed for Crawford County farmers as designated by the Department of Agriculture.

Notice of said Special Session is hereby waived, all members of the Board signing.

Signed:
Lyle Dunkley, Supervisor
Frederic Township.
Edgar Caid, Supervisor
Lovella Township.
P. W. Christenson, Supervisor
Grayling Township.
Arthur Howse, Supervisor
Maple Forest Township.
F. E. Love, Supervisor
Beaver Creek Township.
Sydney A. Dyer, Supervisor
South Branch Township.

Resolution as offered by Supervisor Dunkley:

Whereas, on the date of Jan. 5th, 1934, a communication was received from Ernest C. Brooks, Secretary of the State Emergency Welfare Relief Commission of Michigan, advising the Board of Supervisors that the Federal Surplus Relief Commission was purchasing wheat which is available to farmers in drought areas for feed purposes, and, Whereas, it was necessary to arrange for a hearing to establish the fact that there was a shortage of feed due to the drought of last summer, and, Whereas, the entire Board of Supervisors authorized the County Clerk to immediately arrange for said hearing—that these facts

might be established, and, Whereas, on the same day, Jan. 5th, 1934, said communication was also received from the State Emergency Welfare Relief Commission, and, Whereas, Mr. Brooks advised that the State Department of Agriculture was advised of said request, on Jan. 10th, 1934.

Now therefore be it resolved, that inasmuch as the State Department of Agriculture have indicated and suggested to hold a public hearing in Crawford County to establish the fact that a shortage of feed does exist in this County due to the drought of last summer—that two members of the board of Supervisors be designated to Lansing and meet with the State Board of Agriculture and the Secretary of the State Emergency Welfare Relief Commission to lay before them facts and urgently request that wheat be shipped to Crawford County at once.

Moved by Dunkley, and supported by Caid, that we accept the foregoing resolution. All members voting yes. The motion carried.

Moved by Dunkley, and supported by Howse, that Supervisor Christenson, and Supervisor Dyer be delegated to go to Lansing to meet with the Department of Agriculture and the Secretary of the State Emergency Welfare Relief Commission in regards to feed for livestock for use of Crawford county farmers, and that the expenses and mileage of each be paid and that the clerk and the treasurer be and are hereby authorized to issue warrants in payment of same, on presentation of their bills. Yes and may vote called. Yes: Dunkley, Howse, Love, Christenson, Caid, and Dyer. Nays: none. The motion carried.

Moved by Dyer and supported by Christenson that we adjourn this Special Session and reconvene into another Special Session to take up any matter that may come before the Board. All members voting yes. The motion carried.

Moved by Christenson, and supported by Dyer that in compliance with the provisions of Act No. 37 Public Acts of 1933, that the sum of \$234.49 be paid to the Township Treasurer of South Branch Township to be used as provided for under said Act. Yes and may vote called. Yes: Christenson, Dyer, Love, Dunkley, Caid, and Howse. Nays: none. The motion carried.

Bills of the several Supervisors for attendance at these sessions were allowed at this time.

Signed: P. W. Christenson, Edgar Caid and S. A. Dyer, Committee on Claims and Accounts.

Bills as allowed:

Supervisor	Per Diem	Mileage
Edgar Caid	\$2.00	\$5.00
S. A. Dyer	2.00	4.20
Lyle Dunkley	2.00	1.80
Arthur Howse	2.00	3.00
F. E. Love	2.00	1.80
P. W. Christenson	2.00	

Minutes of these special sessions were read, approved and signed in open session.

Moved by Caid, and supported by Howse, that we adjourn with out date. All members voting yes. The motion carried.

Axel M. Peterson, Clerk.
F. E. Love, Chairman.

Election Notices

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of South Branch, Crawford County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the town hall in said township on Monday, April 2, 1934, from 8 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Overseers of Highways, Justice of the Peace, Member of Board of Review, and four Constables.
John F. Floeter, Clerk.

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Beaver Creek, Crawford County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the town hall in said township on Monday, April 2, 1934, from 8 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Overseers of Highways, Justice of the Peace, Member of Board of Review, and four Constables.
John LaMotte, Clerk.

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Maple Forest, Crawford County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the town hall in said township on Monday, April 2, 1934, from 8 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Overseers of Highways, Justice of the Peace, Member of Board of Review, and four Constables.
Martin Peterson, Clerk.

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the town hall in said township on Monday, April 2, 1934, from 8 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Overseers of Highways, Justice of the Peace, Member of Board of Review, and four Constables.
Samuel Smith, Clerk.

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Lovella, Crawford County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the town hall in said township on Monday, April 2, 1934, from 8 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Overseers of Highways, Justice of the Peace, Member of Board of Review, and four Constables.
Louise McCormick, Clerk.

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Frederic, Crawford County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the town hall in said township on Monday, April 2, 1934, from 8 o'clock in the morning until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard time, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Overseers of Highways, Justice of the Peace, Member of Board of Review, and four Constables.
Carl Olson, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

UNITED STATES FOREST SERVICE

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

LAND EXCHANGE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the State of Michigan, of Lansing, Michigan, has applied for exchange of lands under the Act of March 3, 1906 (43 Stat. 1215). The applicant offers the Government the following:

Township 23 N., R. 5 E; Sec. 2, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 3, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 15, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 16, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 22, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 23, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 24, NW 1/4 SW 1/4.

Township 24 N., R. 5 E; Sec. 2, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 3, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 15, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 16, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 22, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 23, NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 24, NW 1/4 SW 1/4.

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News Briefs

THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1934.

Next Sunday is Easter.

Miss Lillian Jordan spent Mon-

day and Tuesday in Bay City.

Our One Cent Sale will be on

April 18, 19, 20, and 21—Mac &

Gidley.

It has been more than five

months now since we have been

without snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNeven

and daughter Gloria spent Mon-

day in Saginaw.

As last Sunday was Palm

Sunday, palms were blessed and

distributed at St. Mary's church.

Bill Harrison, who has been ill

at his home for the past week,

was able to be out Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson, ac-

companied by Mr. and Mrs. Pear-

son, of Petoskey, spent Sunday

here calling on Mr. and Mrs.

Harold Jarvin.

Edore LaBrash, who is employ-

ed in Flint visited his family

here Sunday. He was accompan-

ied by his sister and husband,

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fogelsonger

and family, who visited at the

parental home, Paul LaBrash.

Mrs. Ruth Stollcker of Fern-
dale is here taking care of her
mother who has been ill all
winter.

Mrs. E. J. Olson and Grant
Thompson made a trip to Lansing
Friday on official C.W.A. busi-
ness.

Buy one for the regular price
and another one for One Cent
more. Original 1c sale plan—
Mac & Gidley.

The County Welfare meeting
will be held at the Ed. Kellogg
home near Lovells Thursday af-
ternoon, April 5th.

The Boy Scouts are holding a
bake sale at Grayling Hardware
Saturday, March 31. Come and
get some good baked things.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hanson
of Flint, visited the former's
mother, Mrs. Hansine Hanson and
family over the week end.

The Woman's Home Missionary
society will meet at the home of
Mrs. Nels Corwin Wednesday af-
ternoon, April 4th.

Earl Gierke is home from Cen-
tral State Teachers College, Mt.
Pleasant, and is visiting his pa-
rents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke.

Miss Dagmar Juhl is spending
her spring vacation from Jackson
Business School here with her
parents, Rev. and Mrs. Hans
Juhl.

Edward Gierke was admitted
to Mercy Hospital Sunday for
medical treatment.

Don't forget the Boy Scout bake
sale Saturday, March 31 at Gray-
ling Hardware store.

Miss Ethel Taylor spent the
week end in Flint, where she was
the guest of Lloyd Pickett, of
Alpena, who was visiting his pa-
rents there at the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Holger C. Schmidt
spent the week end in Detroit ac-
companying their daughter Miss
Marie there, she having spent
some time at home visiting.

Miss Norma Pray is spending
the week with her grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lydell. This
is her spring vacation from Busi-
ness School at Traverse City.

A unique basketball game is
being planned for April 6th when
the local school faculty players
will take on OCG camp officials.
Time 4:00 p. m. You're invited.

Miss Helen Thorington accom-
panied by her sister, Mrs. A. J.
Scott and daughter Virginia, spent
Saturday and Sunday in Gladwin
where they attended the funeral
services of their grandfather, Mr.
Charles Page.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Trudeau
and son Jack, have moved from
the quarters over the Frank Sales
Agency building to live with
Mrs. Trudeau's parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Lon Collen.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward King,
George Miller Jr., and Billy
Karnes, of Flint, spent the week
end here visiting Mr. and Mrs.
George Miller and Mr. and Mrs.
Oliver Cody and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sparkes
motored to Saginaw-Friday, from
where they went to Lansing to
visit Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Jerome.
Mr. Jerome being home from his
business in Pontiac for the week
end.

Marius Hanson and Stanley
Stephan, both students at Ferris
Institute, arrived home Wednes-
day to spend their Easter vaca-
tion with their respective parents,
Mrs. Hansine Hanson, and Mr.
and Mrs. George Stephan.

If you see a car coming down
the street and it looks as tho it
were running backward, that's
Fred Welsh's new DeSoto. It
looks like a knockout. It was
purchased from Corwin Auto
Sales and delivered last Saturday.

Mrs. Edith LaMotte visited rela-
tives in Detroit over the week
end. She was accompanied there
by Miss Alice Malloy, who return-
ed there to her work for the
Tivoli-Brewing Company. She had
spent two months here visiting
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Malloy.

Miss Veronica Lovely is spend-
ing her spring vacation from
Central State Normal College, Mt.
Pleasant, here with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lovely. Upon
return she will enter the third
term of the year, and will soon
have completed her first year at
college.

Mrs. Ellen Failing returned
home Friday from Bay City, where
she has been visiting since Christ-
mas with her daughter, Miss
Margaret Failing. She was ac-
companied by Mrs. Earl Wood and
son Ronald, who have been visit-
ing there for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wood-
burn of Maple Forest were called
to Bay City Friday due to the
illness of their daughter Miss
Helen, T. P. Peterson accompany-
ing them there. Miss Helen is a
student at Central State Normal
College, Mt. Pleasant, and this
being her Spring vacation from
there, she submitted to an opera-
tion.

Miss Yvonne Saneartier and her
brother Bud surprised their
mother, Mrs. Dolph Saneartier
Tuesday evening with a pleasant
party to celebrate her birthday.
The evening was spent socially
with cards and bunco, after which
they enjoyed refreshments. The
guests included Mr. and Mrs.
Roy Wolcott, Mr. and Mrs.
DeVere Wolcott, Mr. and Mrs.
Alva Stephan, Mrs. Frank La-
Vack, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tatro,
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moore, Mrs.
Alice LaMotte, Betty LaMotte,
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Papendick,
Mr. and Mrs. Willard Weaver.

For many years past Mrs.
Frieda Lenarts used to pay her
subscription to the Avalanche
about the time the robins return-
ed from the south. Those were
days when our down-river friends
could only come to town after the
spring thaws. She reminded us
Monday that she was paying
ahead of the robins this time, as
none had yet appeared around
their place. Now that we have
plowed roads out of town people
can come to town any time. Mrs.
Lenarts is still the same cheerful
woman that she was when we first
came to Grayling.

Tomorrow—Good Friday, the
crucifixion of Christ will be com-
memorated by Tre One devotionals
in all of the local churches, and
Mayor G. G. Clippert asks that
all business places close between
the hours of 12:00 M. and 3:00
o'clock. During that period activi-
ties will be suspended so that
local people may attend devotionals
at their chosen places of worship.
The late Thomas Cassidy—and
Rev. J. W. Greenwood, former
pastor of Grayling began this
excellent custom of the closing of
business places during the Holy
Week—and it has been continued
since.

Extraordinary showing of

EASTER COATS

The new Spring Coats for Women are Superb values. New style
sleeves and collars, they fit beautifully. Silk crepe lined and they are
priced for lower than you would expect.

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\$19.50

\$25.00

Easter showing of Mens
Suits, Top Coats

Hand tailored worsteds
Blue chevrons

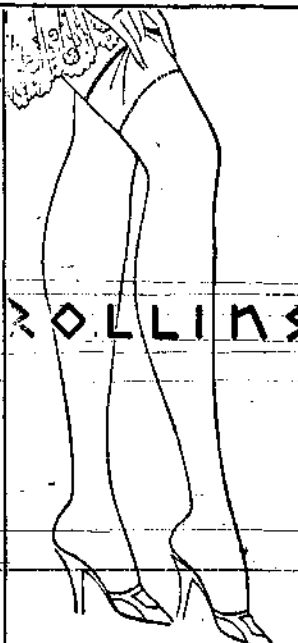
Suits at a special low price for
these quality garments

\$19.50 \$21.50
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Top Coats

of tweeds and polo cloth

\$14.50 \$19.50



Full fashioned
all silk

Hose

The usual 89c
quality at

69c pr.

3 pairs \$2.00

New Spring
Colors

Ladies Easter

Hats

Plenty of new spring
styles and colors

\$1.00 \$1.88

Don't forget the
youngsters for
Easter

Footwear

Sport style elk trim-
med Oxfords

\$1.25 \$1.50

Mens Terry cloth

Sweaters

If you see these you will
want one. Green, blue
or cocoa

\$1.00

Specials

For the workman

Lee Overalls \$1.69

Lee Shirts 85c 98c

Work Sox 15c 2 pr. 25c

Mens new spring

Caps

50c to \$1.85

Mens

Sweat Shirts

White, blue or red

85c 95c

Mens

Shirts and Shorts

special 29c

Boys

Dress Shirts

Fancy Broadcloths

49c 59c

Boys

Ties

15c

Boys

Shirts and Shorts

25c

Grayling Mercantile Company

The Quality Store

Phone 125



RIALTO THEATRE

Grayling, Mich.

Friday and Saturday March 30-31

DOUBLE FEATURE PROGRAM

NO. 1

Geo. Bancroft

"BLOOD MONEY"

NO. 2

A Real Snappy Musical Comedy
Wheeler and Woolsey

"HIP HIPS HURRAY"

Sunday and Monday April 1-2

Jimmy Durante

"PALOOKA"

Novelty

Cartoon

News

Tuesday and Wednesday April 3-4

A Double Feature Program that you can't afford to miss.

NO. 1

Slim Summerville and Zasu Pitts

"LOVE BIRDS"

NO. 2

A FOUR STAR LIBERTY ATTRACTION

Victor McLaglen

"THE LOST PATROL"

Thursday and Friday April 5-6

Otto Kruger and Und Merkel

"WOMEN IN HIS LIFE"

Comedy

Novelty

News

Headquarters for bargains on
fresh fruits and vegetables for
Easter, Conine's Grocery.

Holger Hanson, of Ypsilanti, is
in town this week, and is driving
a new Pontiac sedan.

Gordon Pond accompanied by
Anthony Green, spent Tuesday
in Gaylord on business.

Hot Cross buns sold this week
at all places where Grayling
bread is sold. They're delicious.
Try them.

Don't miss hearing Dr. Gladys
Klein Schmidt at the American
Legion hall tonight. At 7:30
o'clock.

There will be a Boy Scout bake
sale at the Grayling Hardware
on March 31. Come and get your
Easter supply of baked goods.

Mrs. George N. Olson and
daughter Georgianna accompanied
by Mrs. Emil Niederer and Miss
Helen Pond, spent Monday and
Tuesday in Saginaw.

Mrs. Clara Olson, of North-
ville, visited over the week-end
here with Misses Ruth McNeven
and Ida Granger. She was met
Sunday by her brother Lloyd
Bullwell, whom she accompanied
back to Northville.

Mrs. Lon Collen left Tuesday
to spend this week visiting rela-
tives in Detroit. She was ac-
companied by Mrs. Calvin Church
and her son Jack, who will visit
Mrs. Church's mother, Mrs. E. U.
Corporator in Centerville.

'Nother snow storm today.

Otto Peterson says he saw a

robin Sunday.

A. B. Green is driving a new

Plymouth coupe.

Edgar Murray of Detroit was

in Grayling over the week-end on

business.

My household furniture is for

sale. Furnishings for five rooms.

Ernest W. Olson.

Howard Granger is absent from

the Mac & Gidley Drug store this

week due to illness.

The Boy Scouts are having a

bake sale at the Grayling Hard-

ware store on March 31. Be there

early.

**Juniors To Present
"The Drums of Death"**

"The Drums of Death," the
Junior play, will be seen by the
public on Friday, April 6. With
the date all set and the casto
rounding into shape and the play-
goers of Grayling are warned
that if they miss this presenta-
tion they will regret it. The Clas-
s of '35 is promising entertainment
of a high order and Director Nor-
ris Berry promises that all will
be in readiness when "The Drums
of Death" appear across the foot-
lights on next Friday night.

**Easter
CANDY
CARDS
EGG DYE**

Whitman's and Johnson's
Fine Candy and Chocolate Eggs

CHRIS W. OLSEN

Central Drug Store

Phone 1

NOTICE

To Unemployed Men

During the last few months we have avoided asking applicants to report to the National Employment Office periodically in order to determine whether or not they were still unemployed, the reason being that there was little opportunity for securing other employment. Also that we did not want them to travel long distances merely for the purpose of stating that they were still out of work.

Due to the change in industrial employment during the past few weeks, we believe that we have a considerable number in our files who are no longer available, and in order to check our files to this end, it will be necessary to make a complete re-registration of men unemployed who still desire work.

Renewals of registration can be made by personal call at the office or the applicant may mail us a postal card, or use the phone or send the message by someone else coming in, to signify that they are still desirous of employment.

All applicants who are desirous of employment but who have not renewed their application by March 30, 1934, will be cancelled from our available list.

National Employment Office.
Earl J. Hewitt, Mgr.

BEAVER CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. George Wolf spent the week-end in Flint, visiting relatives and friends.

Walter Nelson has been spending the past two weeks in Flint with his daughters, Mrs. W. Hanson and Mrs. J. Fitch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garland spent the week-end at Bay City visiting relatives and friends.

ELDORADO NUGGETS

Regular services will begin Easter Sunday in South Branch Church. Rev. Salmon of Grayling will conduct the Easter service at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The Fred Hartman family, who have all been ill with laryngitis, have recovered and the children are again in school.

Elizabeth Anne, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Babcock, who is being treated at the U. of M. Hospital in Ann Arbor, is reported doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Osworth are spending some time in Port Huron where Mr. Osworth has found employment.

Regular work at the N. R. A. Camp ended last week for the summer. John W. Anderson, Superintendent of the camp, has been appointed manager of the survey of the Huron National Forest, with headquarters at East Tawas. Part of the personnel conducting the survey will remain at the N. R. A. camp.

The Ladies Aid of the South Branch Church met with Mrs. Russell Stevens last Wednesday. Seventeen were in attendance.

Dwight Foust, who for the past year has been living on the Keith property (formerly the Bresnahan farm), has purchased the property known as the Kruiser farm, and took possession last week.

Robert Funsch, who has been ill the past week with laryngitis, returned to school Monday.

The C. W. A. has ceased functioning in this vicinity.

SHOULD YOUNG PEOPLE GO TO COLLEGE?

By
LEONARD A. BARRETT

The question is frequently asked, "Is higher education a necessity?"

Estimating the cost plus the four years spent in acquiring a college education many young people seriously question if that money and time could not be better placed to a better advantage. The argument is frequently advanced not only by young people but by parents as well, why not start one's career with only a high school diploma? As evidence of the wisdom of such a plan, reference is made to persons who made a great success in life never having seen the inside of a college. True, but is success in life to be measured only in terms of economic value? A college degree does not guarantee a financial success. In truth it may influence one to underestimate the value of money by disclosing the contentment to be attained in cultivating an appreciation of the more permanent and cultural things. A college degree may not be economically necessary but is a great advantage. The most important asset in college life is experience. A campus is a miniature world, where in are enacted the very same experiences we meet in the larger world of daily toil. Wisdom and the ability to handle people and live with them is one of the tremendous important advantages of college life.

When we contemplate the professional career, a college course is not only indispensable. It is required. Our professional schools are becoming more rigid in their entrance requirements, admitting only on rare occasions students who have not had a college course. To pursue a professional course of study these days requires a trained mind. Let no young man remain away from college because of the lack of funds. There is usually some way of overcoming that difficulty through a scholarship and opportunity for part-time work.

"Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom." "Better to get wisdom than gold." "Ignorance is the curse of God; knowledge the wing wherewith we fly to heaven."

Walter J. Cummings

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SCHOOL NOTES

The Sub Debs held a meeting and elected the following officers:

President—Miss Tapio.
Vice Pres.—Lucy Wheeler.
Treasurer—Zopella Wells.
Secretary—Helen May.
Corresponding Sec.—Eva Mae Buggy.

Reporter—Jennie Wirtanen.
They selected as the Club colors blue and white and sweet peas for the flower. An Easter party was held last Thursday night at which Edna Small, a new member, was initiated. Games were played and others danced and afterwards lunch was served in the Home Economics room.

Last Thursday the student body again had the opportunity of hearing another interesting and instructive assembly program. The guest speaker was Dr. Templeman who only recently returned from India and has been visiting Mr. Salmon. His topic was "The National Movement of India." Because of his intensive study as a pedagogist, of the conditions of this country, Dr. Templeman was able to give some very unusual and authentic information concerning it.

India, Dr. Templeman says, is a beautiful, fascinating land. Its amazing stone carvings and architecture are breath-taking in beauty. Some of these carvings and buildings date back thousands of years, and also show the influence of the Greek invasions. And yet these works show only faintly the erosion of time and nature.

The average tourist obtains only a passing glimpse of the real life of this country, and that probably is the city life. Of India's 353,000,000 people, approximately 9-10 of them live in the country. The land is fertile and irrigated somewhat as we irrigate ours. Otherwise the methods of cultivation are primitive, the natives breaking the soil with a wooden plow drawn by oxen. The harvesting is done exactly as in Biblical days. The "peasants" live under feudalism as did those of Charlemagne's reign in Europe. But instead of contracting their debts they inherit them. Such is the condition of the poor people.

Then there are the rich people. In no other country is there found a stronger bond of real affection than between the members of these India families—nor more beautiful, honest home life—nor greater gentleness or courtesy.

And then there are the untouchables. Few people realize what untouchability really is. About 40 million of India's total population belong to this caste. They live in secluded sections of the cities. Their quarters and work are of the filthiest kind.

It is possible when walking through their narrow dark streets to touch the walls on either side. And, strange as it may seem, those working among these people as missionaries are also considered as untouchables.

And how does it happen that in this 20th century such a condition exists? The history really began about 2000 years B. C. In China-Turkistan there lived a strange cultured people with remarkable religion, farming and government. However, climatic conditions forced them to migrate and they spread into Greece, Western Europe and India. They were of great deal higher type than the natives of India and so failed to assimilate. They were contemptuous of the dark skinned people and so pushed them farther and farther back. And so developed the untouchables.

And over these strange people of this strange land rules a very small man—Mahatma Gandhi—"The Great Souled One." To him the honor of starting, and so far successfully carrying through this great movement is due. He works tirelessly to promote this reform and by the strange force of his own personality is slowly succeeding. If the security of the world were judged alone by the strength of its armies and navies then the world at the present time would be more secure than it ever has been in the past. But Gandhi says that this is not security—that true security is found in the heart, that inner fortitude, and that his world will crumble and fall if that security is not found and preserved.

To the people of India, as also to Dr. Templeman, Gandhi seems to be that light—that small flickering light—in a dark, dark world.

The Juniors are progressing steadily with their work on their play "Drums of Death." The date will be announced very soon. The play is a very thrilling mystery which promises to hold everyone completely engrossed for a whole evening.

In the cast are Kenneth Hoelsi, George Lietz, Marie Buck, Clara Atkinson, Eva Madson, Sam Gust.

Eva Mae Buggy, LeRoy Munn, Josephine Rehage and Jean Peterson.

As the basketball season draws to a close the results of the Junior boys and girls intramural League games have been compiled into a final report. Both leagues started playing November 8 and completed their schedule February 23. The games were played weekly under the supervision of Coach Cornell.

Members of the winning Junior Boys' team, the "Wildcat" squad, are: Coach, Harold Smith, captain, Keith Bowen, John Henry Peterson, Howard Smock, Elmer Farnsworth, Junior King, Bill Kraus, Bobby Tinker, George Smith, and Elmer Dunham.

Members of the winning Girls' team are: Captain, Virginia Skingley, Eva Mae Buggy, Blanche Wheeler, Evelyn Skingley, Mary Montour, Margaret Buck, Corrine Burns, Francis Corwin, Yvonne Bradley, Norma Griffith and Marjorie Kochanowski.

The standing of the teams who participated in this league are as follows:

Junior Boys		Won	Lost
Wildcats	10	0	0
Flashes	5	0	5
Yankees	5	0	5
All Stars	5	0	5
White Sox	4	0	6
Giants	3	0	7

Junior Girls		Won	Lost
Skingley	5	0	2
May	3	0	4
Neal	3	0	4
Lovely	3	0	4

Intramural Tournament

The Sophomores and seventh graders are crowned champions of their respective divisions, after several hard-fought battles throughout the class tournament.

In the semi-finals the Sophomores had the faculty team to contend with, and won only by dint of hard playing in the fourth quarter, honors being about even in the first three rounds. The final score stood 20-12.

After taking the faculty, the Sophs were ready for anything, and followed through to victory with a smashing defeat of the Freshmen that left a final record of 32-12.

The Seventh graders won their right to the title only after they had defeated the hard-playing Eighth grade in a final round that ended 8-5.

Sophomores—29		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		Brady, RF		3	0	1
		Smith, RF		2	0	0
		Lovely, LF		2	1	3
		Doremire, C		3	1	0
		Borchers, RG		1	1	2
		Smock, LG		2	0	0
		Totals		13	3	6

Seniors—7		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		Kraus, RF		0	1	0
		Winterlee, LF		1	0	3
		Kangas, C		0	0	1
		Kneff, C		1	0	0
		McLeod, RG		0	0	0
		LaMotte, LG		0	2	3
		Totals		2	3	7

Freshmen—26		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		B. Hanson, RF		0	0	1
		C. DeFain, LF		0	0	1
		S. Jorgenson, C		0	0	0
		L. Dunham, C		1	2	2
		L. Gierke, RG		5	5	2
		E. Chalker, LG		3	1	1
		Totals		9	8	7

Juniors—25		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		C. Corwin, RF		0	1	1
		R. Sorenson, LF		4	0	2
		K. Hoelsi, C		3	0	2
		D. Gothro, C		4	0	4
		A. Corwin, RG		0	0	1
		L. Millikin, LG		1	0	4
		Totals		12	1	14

Sophomores—20		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		Brady, RF		0	0	0
		Smith, RF		2	0	1
		Lovely, LF		2	0	2
		Doremire, C		3	1	1
		Borchers, RG		1	1	4
		Smock, LG		1	0	2
		Totals		9	2	10

Faculty—12		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		Cornell, RF		3	2	1
		Poor, LF		0	0	5
		Bond, C		0	4	2
		Burns, RG		0	0	0
		Bearech, LG		0	0	2
		Totals		3	6	10

Freshmen—12		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		Hanson, RF		0	0	1
		Jorgenson, RF		0	0	1
		DeFain, LF		0	0	1
		Wylie, LF		0	0	0
		Dunham, C		1	1	1
		Gierke, RG		2	2	0
		Chalker, LG		0	0	0
		Totals		3	3	4

Sophomores—32		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		Brady, RF		0	0	0
		Smith, RF		4	0	1
		Lovely, LF		3	1	2
		Malonen, LF		0	1	1
		Doremire, C		3	0	1
		Borchers, RG		2	0	8
		Smock, LG		4	0	8
		Totals		16	2	11

Intermediate Tournament		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		Seventh Grade—14				
		J. Lovely, RF		0	0	0
		C. Brown, LF		0	0	0

Sixth Grade—8		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		J. McCall, RF		0	0	0
		E. Herbjorn, RF		0	0	0
		J. May, LF		0	0	0
		J. Nelson, LF		0	0	0
		J. Hull, C		2	0	0
		B. Tinker, RG		0	0	0
		T. Deckrow, RG		2	0	0
		J. McNamara, RG		0	0	0
		L. Wylie, LG		0	0	0
		Totals		4	0	0

Seventh Grade—8		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		J. Lovely, RF		1	0	0
		B. DeFain, RF		0	0	0
		B. McCall, LF		0	0	0
		C. Brown, LF		0	1	0
		B. Wiseman, C		1	1	1
		H. Smock, RG		0	0	0
		T. Westerholm, RG		0	0	0
		W. SanCartier, LG		1	0	0
		Totals		3	2	1

Eighth Grade—5		Player	Pos.	FG	FT	PF
		D. Gierke, RF		0	1	0
		D. Coultas, RF		1	0	0
		B. Mosher, LF		0	0	0
		G. Smith, C		0	0	0
		W. Nellist, RG		0	0	0
		Bowen, RG		1	0	1
		Akers, LG		0	0	1
		Hunter, LG		0	0	0
		Totals		2	1	2

POTPOURRI

Land Walking Fish

In India and Ceylon lives a species of perch that travels on land. When small streams in which they live dry up, they leave the banks and seek a new watery home. They crawl by means of strong lower fins. A small pouch within their mouths carries sufficient water to keep their gills moist.

By Western Newspaper Union

Morning Ensemble



Three-quarter length coat of pale woolen angora material, with gloves of the same material. The dress is in black taffeta. A Molinex creation.

Watches Imports

Arnold S. Burrows, having received the largest number of votes cast for third trustee, is hereby declared elected to the office of Trustee.

Merle F. Nellist, having received

Village Council Proceedings

RECORD OF VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Special Meeting held on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1934, Grayling, Mich.

Meeting called to order by President C. G. Clippert.

Trustees present: A. L. Roberts, M. F. Nellist, N. O. Corwin, R. O. Milnes, Jesse Schoonover and A. S. Burrows.

Report of the Finance Committee read as follows:

To the President and Members of the Common Council of the Village of Grayling:—Your Committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts, to whom was referred the matter of settlement and audit of the accounts of the Village Clerk and Village Treasurer do herewith respectfully report that they have examined the said accounts and have compared the items entered in said accounts and found that the same do compare and that the entries of the Clerk and the Treasurer are correct and accurately entered, and that we have cancelled the warrants drawn on the Treasurer by the Clerk and returned them to the Clerk.

Further that we have compared the total balances on hand as shown by the Treasurer's report with the balances shown by the bank records and found that there was on hand on this 15th day of March 1934 the sum of \$60.30. Further, we found that the accounts of the Clerk and Treasurer are accurately and carefully kept and we respectfully request that the report be accepted and adopted and that the committee be discharged from further consideration of the matter.

R. O. Milnes, N. O. Corwin, M. F. Nellist, Committee.

Moved by Schoonover and supported

by Corwin that the President and Clerk be authorized to renew note in the amount of \$1,000.00 with the Grayling State Savings Bank due March 26, 1934, for three months, and make an additional loan of \$500.00 for three months. Yea and nay vote called. Yea: Roberts, Nellist, Milnes, Schoonover, Corwin and Burrows. Motion carried.

Moved by Milnes and supported

by Corwin that the Village of Grayling replace teeth for Parkinson at a cost of \$64.00. Yea and nay vote called. Yea: Roberts, Nellist, Corwin, Milnes, Schoonover and Burrows. Motion carried.

The following resolution was duly passed by unanimous vote:

"Whereas, under the provisions of Act No. 73 of the Regular Session of the 1933 Legislature of the State of Michigan, villages are required to designate depository or depositories wherein the funds of the said village, including taxes collected shall be deposited. Therefore, be it Resolved, that pursuant to the provisions of the Act No. 73 of the Regular Session of 1933 of the Legislature of the State of Michigan, the Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, does hereby designate the Grayling State Savings Bank, Grayling, Michigan, as the depository for all funds and money coming into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and does hereby direct H. J. Gothro, Treasurer of said Village of Grayling, to deposit any and all funds coming into his hands as such Treasurer in said Grayling State Savings Bank. Moved and supported that we adjourn. Motion carried.

Lorane Sparkes,